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### **GOV. EASLEY REAPPOINTS CLARK, ELLIOTT AND MEADORS TO N.C. TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**RALEIGH** – Gov. Mike Easley has reappointed **Norwood Clark** of Raleigh, **Joyce H. Elliott** of Asheville and **Allen C. Meadors** of Pembroke to the N.C. Teachers and State Employees' Retirement System Board of Trustees.

Clark is partner and director of governmental relations at Dixon-Hughes, PLLC. He is a member of the Certified Public Accountant Examiners Board, the N.C. Association of Certified Public Accountants and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He received his bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of North Carolina (UNC) at Chapel Hill.

Elliott is a retired teacher at Buncombe County Schools. She is a member of the Governor's Teacher Advisory Committee, the N.C. Professional Teacher Standards Committee, director of the N.C. Council for Social Studies, chairperson of the N.C. CLOSE UP Program and chair of the N.C. Teacher Academy Board of Trustees. Elliott served as the former president and vice president of the N.C. Association of Educators. She received her associate's degree in art from Warren Wilson College, her bachelor's degree in English and social studies from Appalachian State University and her master's degree in education from Western Carolina University.

Meadors is chancellor of the UNC-Pembroke. He is a member of the board of directors of St. Joseph of the Pines, the advisory board of Lumbee Guaranty Bank and the board of trustees of the Southeastern Regional Medical Center. Meadors received his associate's degree in computer science from Saddleback College in Mission Viejo, Calif., his bachelor's degree in business from the University of Central Arkansas at Conway, his master's degrees in business from the University of Northern Colorado, public administration from the University of Kansas and psychology and health administration from Webster University in St. Louis, Mo., and his doctorate degree in administration and education from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

The board administers the retirement system laws for teachers, state employees and local government members of the Retirement Systems. Members must be confirmed by the N.C. Senate. The board has 14 members, each serving a four-year term if appointed by the governor and a two-year term if appointed by the General Assembly. The governor appoints 10 members.

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